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Sir:

On October 17, 2005, Applicants submitted a timely Response to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2005. A Notice of Appeal was filed concurrent therewith. On page 16 of the Response, Applicants stated that a copy of a Declaration of Alby Abram (the "2004 Declaration") was being submitted with the Response; however, the Declaration was inadvertently omitted from the submission. This Communication rectifies that omission.

Applicants further note that this 2004 Declaration is already of record in U.S. Patent Application No. 10/124,197 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,946,120 B2), which is a continuation of the subject application.

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